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17 September. Some of the former air force quarters were again occupied by air force personnel. Lieutenant Colonel Chesnakov (fmu) of the rocket launcher unit stated that, on 17 September, 3 buildings were occupied by officers and EM. Air force soldiers were seen on the road leading from the buildings to the kitchen. Officers observed near the quartering buildings included an air force captain who had been seen with the Unit Panfilov in Doeberitz some time ago.

Shortly after 0900, 2 Po-2s were parked west of the hangar the doors of which were closed. No additional aircraft were seen at the field. There was no air activity. Antennas were again observed on the wooden masts east of the garage. Near the installation were soldiers whose service color could not be identified.

2. During the afternoon on 9 September, there was local flying by 2 Po-2s. Motor vehicles were seen.

Comment. The present report confirms the information previously furnished by another source. It has not been definitely determined where the Po-2s came from, but it is assumed that they belong to the training detail in Oranienburg. Motor vehicle was previously seen in Oranienburg. Lieutenant Colonel Chesnakov has been reported several times.

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